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<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER</b>				Docket No. 56,304 (70904)	
Application No. 09/920,383-Conf. #4400		Filing Date August 1, 2001		Examiner J. Joo	
Art Unit 2154					
Applicant(s): Shunsuke Yajima, et al.					
Invention: ELECTRONIC DEVICE CONTROL SYSTEM, PORTABLE DATA STORAGE DEVICE, DATA PREPARATION DEVICE, ELECTRONIC DEVICE, AND OPERATION DATA MANAGEMENT DEVICE					
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

The following is in response to the Office Action mailed July 12, 2005 in connection with the above-referenced application.

The Applicants believe that an extension of time is not required since this response is being filed within the specified time period. The Applicants, however, conditionally petition for a further extension of time to provide for the possibility that such a petition has been inadvertently overlooked and is required. As provided below, charge Deposit Account **04-1105** for any required fee.

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